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## PART V.

*Season Report for the Week ending with the 41st Saturday in 1925 (10th October 1925).*

| | District and Station | Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday: This week | | Last ten years' average for the corresponding week | | Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1926: This year | | Average of past ten years | | Excess (+) or defect (−) of column 4 compared with column 5 | | Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | This week | Past week | Past ten years' fortnightly average |
| | 1 | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5 | | 6 | | 7 | | | |
| | | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | | Seers | Seers | Seers |
| BANGALORE. | Bangalore City & Taluk | 0 | 14 | 0 | 87 | 23 | 29 | 28 | 19 | −4 | 90 | | | | |
| | Hoskote ... | 0 | 37 | 0 | 99 | 27 | 04 | 26 | 82 | +0 | 22 | | | | |
| | Dodballapur ... | 0 | 47 | 0 | 69 | 19 | 27 | 30 | 72 | −11 | 45 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 4·25 | 4·25 | 7·00 |
| | Nelamangala ... | 0 | 00 | 0 | 71 | 19 | 78 | 24 | 90 | −5 | 12 | Ragi | 9·00 | 9·00 | 15·00 |
| | Kankanhalli ... | 0 | 10 | 0 | 68 | 20 | 13 | 26 | 37 | −6 | 24 | Kulthi | 8·00 | 8·00 | 12·00 |
| | Magadi ... | 0 | 45 | 0 | 91 | 27 | 98 | 28 | 87 | −0 | 89 | Kadale | 6·00 | 6·00 | 7·00 |
| | Channapatna ... | 0 | 19 | 0 | 80 | 23 | 71 | 29 | 74 | −6 | 03 | | | | |
| | Anekal ... | 0 | 00 | 1 | 00 | 17 | 95 | 26 | 44 | −8 | 49 | | | | |
| | Devanhalli ... | 0 | 07 | 0 | 57 | 19 | 68 | 26 | 02 | −6 | 34 | | | | |
| | Closepet ... | 0 | 00 | 0 | 62 | 22 | 04 | 32 | 46 | −10 | 42 | | | | |
| | District average... | 0 | 18 | 0 | 78 | 22 | 09 | 28 | 05 | −5 | 96 | | | | |
| KOLAR. | Kolar ... | 0 | 16 | 0 | 81 | 22 | 77 | 23 | 50 | +0 | 27 | | | | |
| | Bowringpet ... | 0 | 83 | 9 | 80 | 16 | 25 | 32 | 10 | −15 | 85 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 4·25 | 4·25 | 5·00 |
| | Chintamani ... | 0 | 63 | 0 | 96 | 16 | 33 | 20 | 97 | −4 | 61 | Ragi | 8·50 | 8·50 | 8·00 |
| | Mulbagal ... | 0 | 90 | 1 | 01 | 29 | 75 | 20 | 38 | +9 | 37 | Kulthi | 9·00 | 9·00 | 9·00 |
| | Sidlaghatta ... | 0 | 60 | 0 | 81 | 18 | 61 | 23 | 96 | −5 | 35 | Kadale | 6·00 | 6·00 | 6·00 |
| | Chikballapur ... | 0 | 18 | 0 | 77 | 26 | 77 | 23 | 67 | +3 | 10 | | | | |
| | Bagepalli ... | 1 | 05 | 1 | 23 | 23 | 28 | 22 | 52 | +0 | 76 | | | | |
| | Goribidnur ... | 1 | 49 | 0 | 96 | 25 | 69 | 21 | 39 | +4 | 50 | | | | |
| | Malur ... | 0 | 39 | 0 | 57 | 21 | 91 | 23 | 61 | −1 | 70 | | | | |
| | Srinivaspur ... | 2 | 12 | 0 | 78 | 25 | 25 | 32 | 62 | +2 | 63 | | | | |
| | Gudibanda ... | 1 | 35 | 1 | 01 | 17 | 92 | 23 | 13 | −5 | 21 | | | | |
| | District average ... | 0 | 83 | 1 | 70 | 22 | 25 | 23 | 35 | −1 | 10 | | | | |
| TUMKUR. | Tumkur ... | 1 | 45 | 0 | 90 | 24 | 30 | 23 | 66 | +0 | 64 | | | | |
| | Maddagiri ... | 0 | 80 | 1 | 16 | 19 | 09 | 20 | 80 | −1 | 71 | | | | |
| | Chiknayakanhalli ... | 0 | 82 | 0 | 88 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 13 | −1 | 92 | Rice, 2nd sort. | 4·25 | 4·00 | 8·00 |
| | Sira ... | 0 | 10 | 0 | 76 | 10 | 60 | 17 | 68 | −7 | 08 | Ragi | 9·00 | 9·00 | 19·00 |
| | Gubbi ... | 0 | 50 | 0 | 83 | 10 | 83 | 23 | 44 | −12 | 61 | | | | |
| | Tiptur ... | 0 | 00 | 0 | 53 | 20 | 51 | 17 | 58 | +2 | 93 | Kulthi | 8·00 | 8·00 | 10·00 |
| | Pavagada ... | 1 | 15 | 0 | 28 | 13 | 82 | 16 | 33 | −2 | 51 | | | | |
| | Kunigal ... | 0 | 10 | 1 | 22 | 26 | 92 | 24 | 14 | +2 | 78 | Kadale | 6·00 | 6·00 | 8·80 |
| | Koratagere ... | 0 | 78 | 0 | 61 | 14 | 63 | 20 | 80 | −6 | 17 | | | | |
| | Turuvekere ... | 0 | 00 | 0 | 63 | 21 | 77 | 21 | 46 | +0 | 31 | | | | |
| | District average ... | 0 | 56 | 0 | 78 | 18 | 27 | 20 | 80 | −2 | 53 | | | | |

| District and Station | Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday: This week | Last ten year's average for the corresponding week | Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1925: This year | Average of past ten years | Excess (+) or defect (−) of column 4 compared with column 5 | Prices of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | |

| | | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. | I. | c. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MYSORE. | Mysore | 0 | 50 | 0 | 74 | 21 | 74 | 21 | 17 | +0 | 57 |
| | Chamrajnagar | 0 | 00 | 0 | 67 | 13 | 76 | 18 | 53 | —4 | 77 |
| | Seringapatam | 0 | 36 | 0 | 92 | 14 | 84 | 19 | 54 | —4 | 70 |
| | Hunsur | 0 | 00 | 0 | 92 | 15 | 15 | 23 | 75 | —8 | 60 |
| | Yedatore | 0 | 00 | 0 | 75 | 17 | 87 | 20 | 77 | —2 | 90 |
| | Heggaddevankote | 0 | 40 | 0 | 58 | 27 | 57 | 28 | 00 | —0 | 52 |
| | Gundlupet | 0 | 58 | 1 | 11 | 12 | 97 | 19 | 63 | —6 | 76 |
| | Nanjangud | 0 | 59 | 0 | 58 | 19 | 47 | 21 | 32 | —7 | 86 |
| | T.-Narsipur | 1 | 02 | 0 | 88 | 19 | 76 | 19 | 24 | +0 | 52 |
| | Malvalli | 0 | 00 | 0 | 96 | 17 | 11 | 19 | 87 | —2 | 76 |
| | Mandya | 0 | 00 | 0 | 94 | 17 | 82 | 19 | 82 | —2 | 00 |
| | Krishnarajpete | 0 | 36 | 0 | 63 | 27 | 44 | 22 | 40 | +4 | 95 |
| | Nagamangala | 0 | 00 | 0 | 59 | 19 | 32 | 20 | 78 | —1 | 46 |
| | District average... | 0 | 29 | 0 | 79 | 18 | 82 | 21 | 15 | —2 | 33 |
| HASSAN. | Hassan | 0 | 00 | 1 | 40 | 25 | 61 | 23 | 90 | +1 | 71 |
| | Manjarabad (Saklespur) | 0 | 00 | 1 | 26 | 87 | 33 | 78 | 92 | +8 | 41 |
| | Arkalgud | 0 | 50 | 0 | 74 | 35 | 63 | 32 | 88 | +2 | 75 |
| | Belur | 0 | 00 | 1 | 08 | 30 | 45 | 33 | 03 | —2 | 58 |
| | Channarayapatna | 0 | 05 | 0 | 64 | 16 | 39 | 22 | 12 | —5 | 73 |
| | Arsikere | 0 | 06 | 0 | 70 | 12 | 45 | 18 | 53 | —6 | 13 |
| | Hole-Narsipur | 1 | 40 | 0 | 75 | 18 | 20 | 20 | 68 | —2 | 48 |
| | Alur | 0 | 00 | 0 | 59 | 37 | 31 | 31 | 57 | +5 | 74 |
| | District average... | 0 | 25 | 0 | 89 | 32 | 92 | 32 | 71 | +0 | 21 |
| SHIMOGA. | Shimoga | 0 | 57 | 0 | 74 | 31 | 12 | 25 | 37 | +5 | 75 |
| | Chennagiri | 0 | 07 | 1 | 14 | 21 | 47 | 23 | 18 | —1 | 71 |
| | Honnali | 0 | 37 | 0 | 84 | 23 | 85 | 17 | 41 | +6 | 44 |
| | Shikarpur | * | ** | 0 | 62 | 34 | 74 | 26 | 72 | +8 | 02 |
| | Sorab | 0 | 33 | 1 | 22 | 60 | 27 | 50 | 20 | +10 | 07 |
| | Sagar | 2 | 68 | 1 | 77 | 96 | 47 | 75 | 19 | +21 | 28 |
| | Nagar (Kallurkatte) | 1 | 25 | 1 | 36 | 111 | 46 | 93 | 60 | +17 | 86 |
| | Tirthahalli | 0 | 52 | 1 | 24 | 135 | 59 | 111 | 07 | +24 | 52 |
| | Kumsi | 0 | 35 | 1 | 21 | 43 | 37 | 34 | 76 | +8 | 61 |
| | District average... | 0 | 77 | 1 | 06 | 62 | 04 | 50 | 83 | +12 | 21 |
| KADUR. | Chikmagalur | 0 | 00 | 1 | 24 | 26 | 60 | 25 | 65 | +0 | 95 |
| | Kadur | 0 | 00 | 0 | 85 | 13 | 07 | 15 | 53 | —2 | 46 |
| | Tarikere | 0 | 00 | 0 | 77 | 31 | 49 | 27 | 74 | +3 | 75 |
| | Koppa | 0 | 24 | 1 | 10 | 112 | 98 | 105 | 98 | +7 | 00 |
| | Mudgere | 0 | 05 | 1 | 87 | 82 | 21 | 81 | 13 | +1 | 08 |
| | Narasimharajapura | 0 | 15 | 1 | 01 | 78 | 45 | 70 | 35 | +8 | 10 |
| | Sringeri | 0 | 32 | 1 | 86 | 164 | 60 | 138 | 13 | +26 | 47 |
| | District average... | 0 | 11 | 1 | 24 | 72 | 77 | 66 | 36 | +6 | 41 |
| CHITALDRUG. | Chitaldrug | 0 | 46 | 1 | 07 | 18 | 66 | 17 | 25 | +1 | 37 |
| | Challakere | 1 | 69 | 0 | 58 | 11 | 65 | 13 | 80 | —2 | 15 |
| | Hiriyur | 0 | 00 | 1 | 16 | 8 | 12 | 17 | 10 | —9 | 98 |
| | Holalkere | 0 | 10 | 0 | 95 | 21 | 38 | 18 | 75 | +2 | 63 |
| | Davangere | 1 | 90 | 0 | 98 | 19 | 88 | 19 | 67 | +0 | 21 |
| | Molakalmuru | 2 7 | 40 36 | 1 | 00 | 17 | 71 | 19 | 13 | —1 | 42 |
| | Jagalur | 1 | 54 | 1 | 01 | 14 | 66 | 17 | 33 | —2 | 67 |
| | Hosdurga | 0 | 22 | 0 | 70 | 12 | 79 | 16 | 87 | —2 | 08 |
| | Harihar | 2 | 60 | 0 | 65 | 20 | 64 | 15 | 90 | +4 | 74 |
| | District average... | 2 | 03 | 0 | 90 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 31 | —1 | 14 |
| | Provincial average ... | 0 | 63 | 1 | 02 | 33 | 17 | 32 | 62 | + | 55 |

| | This week | Past week | Past ten years' fortnightly average |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Seers | Seers | Seers |
| Rice, 2nd sort. | 4·25 | 4·25 | 5·15 |
| Ragi | 8·00 | 8·00 | 12·88 |
| Kulthi | 8·00 | 8·00 | 11·22 |
| Kadale | 5·00 | 5·00 | 6·43 |
| Rice, 2nd sort. | 4·75 | 4·75 | 5·25 |
| Ragi | 10·00 | 10·00 | 10·28 |
| Kulthi | 8·00 | 9·00 | 10·00 |
| Kadale | 5·50 | 5·50 | 5·75 |
| Rice, 2nd sort. | 5·00 | 5·00 | 5·40 |
| Ragi | 11·00 | 11·00 | 11·38 |
| Kulthi | 9·00 | 9·00 | 7·55 |
| Rice, 2nd sort. | 5·00 | 5·00 | 5·00 |
| Ragi | 9·50 | 9·00 | 12·00 |
| Kulthi | 10·00 | 9·00 | 6·00 |
| Kadale | 5·50 | 5·50 | 6·00 |
| Rice, 2nd sort. | 5·00 | 5·00 | 6·00 |
| Ragi | 11·00 | 10·00 | 10·00 |
| Kulthi | 7·00 | 8·00 | 10·00 |
| Cholum | 10·00 | 9·00 | 14·00 |
| Kadale | 5·00 | 5·00 | 4·00 |

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oriza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

*Reports not received. Figures in columns 4 and 5 based on previous week's report.

## DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Horse gram is being sown in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

*Standing crops.*—Ragi, paddy, avare, haraka, groundnut, sugar-cane and mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Groundnut in parts of Bangalore Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season* :—Fairly good. The recent rains have greatly benefited the standing crops, but more rain is needed. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Horse gram is being sown in parts of Chintamani and Srinivaspur Taluks.

*Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Same, sajje and groundnut are being harvested in parts of Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta Taluks, outturn from 8 to 10 annas.

*Standing crops.*—The standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, avare, togari til and kulthi are reported to be in good condition. More rains are however required for the same.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. *Cattle.*—Healthy.

Pasture, fodder and drinking water are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Baragu in parts of Maddagiri Taluk. Horse gram in parts of Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Jola in parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Gubbi Taluks. Cotton in parts of Sira Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in parts of Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks; yield 8 annas. Groundnut in parts of Gubbi Taluk; yield 8 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, til, haraka, castor, jola, togari, avare, chillies, navane, korale, cotton and savé are reported to be in fair condition in all parts of the District. It is reported that rain is wanted in the Taluks of Sira and Tiptur.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all parts of the District.

Water and fodder are reported to be available in all parts of the District.

## MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operation.*—Nil.

*Standing crops.*—Avare, ragi, togari, sugar-cane, cotton, paddy, horsegram, mulberry, ramtil, haraka, chillies, tobacco, black and green grams, castor, groundnut, are reported to be in good condition, except in parts of Malvalli and Mandya Taluks where they are reported to be in need of rain.

*Crops sown.*—Horsegram in parts of Seringapatam and Malavalli Taluks.

*Crops harvested.*—Ragi and ground-nut in parts of Yedatore and T.-Narsipur Taluks respectively.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

Rain is needed in parts of Mysore, Gundlupet, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for contagious disease in Melkote and Daraskuppe villages, Seringapatam Taluk. This fact has been reported to the Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department for preventive measures being taken in the matter.

## HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, and sugar-cane in Hassan Taluk; paddy in Manjarabad Taluk and in Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy, ragi and thogari in Arkalgud Taluk: doddaragi, paddy, togari and avare in Belur Taluk; ragi, paddy, avare, castor, togari, til and kulthi in Channarayapatna Taluk; doddaragi and castor in Arsikere Taluk; doddaragi, kulthi, til, avare and togari in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Cardamom in Manjarabad Taluk; gidragi in Arkalgud and Belur Taluks; jola, cotton, chillies and koriander in Arsikere Taluk are being harvested. Sugar-cane is being milled in Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks.

10. *Prospects of the season* are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the Honnali Taluk.

*Seeds sown.*—Nil.

*State of standing crops.*—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the taluks and in the sub-taluk of Kumsi; ragi and horse gram in all the taluks (except Nagar and Tirthahalli) and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; togari, cotton, jola and navane in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali, green gram in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and kuresani in the Channagiri Taluk and save in the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in good condition. The Honnali Amildar reports that a kind of insect pest, grass-hopper, (ಕಂದುಬಣ್ಣದ ಜಿಗಿಹುಳ) are eating the crops (Ragi, jola and cotton) in some parts of the taluk. The Government Entomologist has been addressed in the matter.

*Crops harvested.*—Groundnut in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali, save in the Honnali Taluk and paddy in parts of Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are available. Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in parts of all the taluks (except in Sorab Taluk) and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

## KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplantion of paddy and ragi is going on in parts of Mudgere Taluk.

*Crops sown.*—Chikmagalur—Dodaragi.

*Standing crops.*—Chikmagalur—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare, horse gram, arhar, gingelly and coffee. Kadur—Ragi, avare, horse gram, etc. Tarikere—Paddy, ragi, cholum, areca, coffee, castor, etc. Koppa—Paddy, areca, coffee and sugar-cane Mudgere—Paddy, ragi, coffee and cardamom. Narasimharajapura—Paddy and sugar-cane. Sringeri—Paddy and areca.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition, but the areca crop is affected by Koleroga in parts of Sringeri Jahgir.

*Crops harvested.*—Chikmagalur—Cholum, areca and sugar-cane. Tarikere—Black gram, green gram, gingelly and areca. Koppa—Areca. Sringeri—Areca. Kadur—Cholum, areca and sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food grains are available, but their prices are high.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. Doddaroga is prevailing in Seethur and Kamalapur villages and it is on the decrease in Nelagadde and Muthinakoppa villages of Narasimharaja-pura Sub-Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Land is being ploughed and made ready for sowing purposes.

*Standing crops, viz.*, paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, horse gram, green gram, navane, savé sajje, haraka, castor, black gram, cotton, til, groundnut, avare, chillies, togari and wheat, are reported to be generally in a fair condition.

*Seeds sown.*—Chitaldrug Taluk—Kadale bilijola, and cotton; Challakere Taluk—Bili-jola, horse gram and kadale; Hiriyur Taluk—Jola, navane, wheat, cotton and horse gram; Holalkere Taluk—Bilijola and kadale; Jagalur Taluk—Bilijola, kadale and horse gram.

*Crops harvested.*—Chitaldrug Taluk—Mungar jola, 8 annas; Challakere Taluk—Jola and navane, 8 annas; Holalkere Taluk—Jola, navane and groundnut, 8 to 12 annas; Harihar Sub-Taluk—Groundnut, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for Doddaroga in parts of Davangere and Holalkere Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk and foot and mouth disease in parts of Chitaldrug Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors are taking needful action. Water and fodder are available, except in Hosdurga Town where scarcity of water is reported to be felt.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
*Dated Bangalore, 13th October* 1925.

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